

Amendments to the Specification:

Please make the changes to the following paragraphs:

[0022] The second housing 114 is also preferably formed of a one piece, integral, unitary body, also of a high strength plastic ~~406~~. The second housing 114 includes first and second annular ring members 116 and 118, respectively. The first and second ring members 116 and 118 are spaced apart and interconnected by a pair of side flanges 122 which extend between peripheral edges of the first and second ring members 116 and 118. ~~Notches 126 are~~ A notch 126 is formed along one side edge of each of the side flanges 122 and 124 for receiving an interconnecting projection in the retainer 66, as described hereafter.

[0028] Further, the swivel connection between two portions of the connector 100 can also be applied to quick connectors having axially displaceable retainers as shown in U.S. Patent Nos. 5,542,712 and ~~5,456,600~~ 5,542,500.

[0029] As is conventional, the side flanges 122 and 124 in the second housing 114 include a pair of centralized, axially-extending, inward opening notches, not shown in side flange 124, while the retainer 66 includes a catch means, such as a ramped external projection or retention barb extending outwardly on each leg. The longitudinal notches cooperate with the retention barbs to releasably secure the retainer 66 in a partially-inserted, "pre-assembly" or "shipping" position within the second housing 114.